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## REMARKS

Claims 24-54 are pending in this application. Claims 24 and 54 have been amended to correct typographical errors.

The Examiner has rejected claims 24-54 based on non-statutory double patenting over U.S. Patent No. 6,353,855. A terminal disclaimer over U.S. Patent No. 6,353,855 is being filed with this response. Consequently, the rejection based on non-statutory double patenting is obviated.

Applicant submits that the present amendments and response places the application in better form for appeal by materially reducing the number of issues for appeal and, therefore, should be entered.

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